

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Advertisements were printed from two of the newspaper mats, and clippings of the advertisements were displayed with the article.

LABEL, IN PART: (Bottle) "Hope Mineral Tablets Dietary Supplement Each tablet contains 20 mgm. of Iron and traces of other minerals (extracted from a natural clay) plus $\frac{1}{2}$ mgm. Vitamin B₁, 1 mgm. Vitamin B₂, 5 mgm. Niacin and $\frac{1}{2}$ mcg. Vitamin B₁₂."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 502 (f) (1), the labeling of the article failed to bear adequate directions for use in the treatment of arthritis, stomach ailments, neuritis, rheumatism, headaches, weak kidneys, dizzy spells, nervousness, bloating, acids, toxins, lack of vitality and energy, aching back, lumbago, underweight, decaying teeth, failing eyesight, bad complexion, frequent rising at night, leg pains, sleepless nights, suffering, lack of ambition and sparkle, and weakened powers, which were the conditions for which the article was offered in its labeling and advertising disseminated and sponsored by or on behalf of the distributor, the Hope Co. The article was misbranded in the above respect when introduced into and while in interstate commerce.

Further misbranding, Section 502 (a), certain statements in the labeling of the article, namely, in the clippings of the newspaper advertisement, were false and misleading. The statements represented and suggested that the article was an adequate and effective treatment for arthritis, stomach ailments, neuritis, rheumatism, headaches, weak kidneys, dizzy spells, nervousness, bloating, acids, toxins, lack of vitality and energy, aching back, lumbago, underweight, decaying teeth, failing eyesight, bad complexion, frequent rising at night, leg pains, sleepless nights, suffering, lack of ambition and sparkle, and weakened powers. The article was not an adequate and effective treatment for such conditions. The article was misbranded in the above respect while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

The article was alleged also to be adulterated and misbranded under the provisions of the law applicable to foods, as reported in notices of judgment on foods.

DISPOSITION: October 8, 1951. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

3608. Misbranding of radium chloride solution. U. S. v. 1 ampul * * *.
(F. D. C. No. 31655. Sample No. 12820-L.)

LABEL FILED: September 6, 1951, District of Colorado.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 7, 1951, by the United States Radium Corp., from New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 1 ampul of *radium chloride solution* at Denver, Colo. Examination indicated that the product contained a radium salt.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 502 (f) (1), the labeling of the article failed to bear adequate directions for use; and, Section 502 (f) (2), the labeling failed to bear adequate warnings against unsafe dosage or methods or duration of administration or application, in such manner and form, as are necessary for the protection of users.

DISPOSITION: October 31, 1951. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be delivered to the Food and Drug Administration.